# MINUTES TOWN OF EDGEWOOD SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING – JUNE 20, 2016 @ 7:00 P.M. EDGEWOOD TOWN HALL – 1911 HISTORIC ROUTE 66

### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bassett called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Councilors Present: Sherry Abraham, John Abrams, Chuck Ring, Rita Loy Simmons Also Present: Deputy Clerk Linda Holle

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 2016-08, A RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM EXTREME OR SEVERE DROUGHT CONDITIONS WITHIN THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD AND TO BAN THE SALE AND USE OF CERTAIN FIREWORKS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWN AND ITS WILDLANDS.

Mayor Bassett introduced the Resolution by stating the Town had essentially copied Santa Fe County's Resolution banning certain fireworks. He mentioned Mr.Randy Van Vleck, General Counsel for the Municipal League had been called for guidance. Mr.Van Vleck stated if the Town passed an Ordinance banning fireworks the Town would not have to pass an annual Resolution to do so. Councilor Ring stated individual fireworks were not worth the risk. Councilor Simmons inquired about the definition of a missile-type rocket, as she wanted to ensure it included aerial devices.

**MOTION:** Councilor Simmons made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2016-08, a

Resolution to proclaim extreme or severe drought conditions within the Town of Edgewood and to Ban the Sale and Use of Certain Fireworks

within the Boundaries of the Town and its Wildlands.

Councilor Abraham seconded the motion.

**VOTE:** All Councilors voted aye. The motion carried.

#### 2. ADJOURN.

**MOTION:** Councilor Simmons made a motion to adjourn.

Councilor Abraham seconded the motion.

**VOTE:** All Councilors voted aye. The motion carried.

Mayor Bassett adjourned the Special Meeting of June 20, 2016 at 7:10 p.m.



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## PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016

John Bassett, Mayor

ATTEST:

Juan Torres, Clerk/Treasurer

JCB Initials